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The operational status of special observations for GK-2A AMI

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Geo-KOMPSAT-2A (GK-2A) has been successfully launched at the Guiana Space Center in 2018, which is the next generation of Korean geostationary meteorological satellite, succeeding Communication, Ocean, and Meteorological Satellite (COMS). Through Advanced Meteorological Imager (AMI) LA (Local Area) scene mode GK-2A could be observed not only the Korean peninsula, but also the interested area wherever user hopes within the observable region, and it called as "Special Observations". For example, using special observations, GK-2A AMI is able to observe large-scale forest fires and severe weather such as typhoons. This presentation will be described for the operational status of GK-2A AMI special observations in current after launched and how to observe the interested area using AMI in details.